

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Shigetoshi KADOTA et al.

Application No. Not Yet Assigned Group Art Unit: TBD

Filed: Herewith Examiner: TBD

For: AGENTS FOR TREATING OSTEOPOROSIS AND INHIBITING  
OSTEOCLAST FORMATION

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicants respectfully request that the above-captioned application be amended as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected beginning on page 2 of this paper.